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12:04 O'CLOCK P.M.

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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker of the House Madigan in the chair.

Prayer by Pastor Jessie Herring, who is with Table of Life Ministries in Springfield, Illinois.

Representative Scherer led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

By direction of the Speaker, a roll call was taken to ascertain the attendance of Members, as follows:

110 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Acevedo, Daniel Burke, Chapa LaVia, Dunkin, Golar, Poe, Stewart and Welch were excused from attendance.

REPORTS

The Clerk of the House acknowledges receipt of the following correspondence:

Minority and Women Owned Business Procurement Program Report, submitted by the Metropolitan and Exposition Authority on January 28, 2014.

LETTERS OF TRANSMITTAL

February 5, 2014

Clerk Tim Mapes
Illinois House of Representatives
300 Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Clerk Mapes:

It has come to my attention that the Illinois General Assembly website lists me as a co-sponsor of House Bill 2404 in error.

I signed a slip last session requesting to be listed as a co-sponsor of Senate Bill 2404, but it was recorded improperly.

I am opposed to the language and intent of House Bill 2404 and wish to let the journal reflect my opposition to this bill and my request to remove myself as a co-sponsor.

Sincerely,
s/ Sam Yingling
State Representative
62nd District

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Harms replaced Representative Sandack in the Committee on Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges on February 4, 2014.

Representative Davidsmeyer replaced Representative Hays in the Committee on Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges on February 4, 2014.

Representative Franks replaced Representative Welch in the Committee on Higher Education on February 4, 2014.

Representative Jakobsson replaced Representative Golar in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 4, 2014.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Chapa LaVia in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 4, 2014.

Representative Hernandez replaced Representative Dunkin in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 4, 2014.

Representative Sims replaced Representative Monique Davis in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on February 4, 2014.

Representative Fine replaced Representative Monique Davis in the Committee on State Government Administration on February 5, 2014.

Representative Sandack replaced Representative Poe in the Committee on Business & Occupational Licenses on February 5, 2014.

Representative Andrade replaced Representative Soto in the Committee on Human Services on February 5, 2014.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Beiser, Chairperson, from the Committee on Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges to which the following were referred, action taken on February 4, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 60.

The committee roll call vote on House Joint Resolution 60 is as follows:

13, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Beiser(D), Chairperson	A D'Amico(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Harms(R) (replacing Sandack)	A Demmer(R)
Y Fortner(R)	Y Davidsmeyer(R) (replacing Hays)
Y Hurley(D)	Y Lilly(D)
Y Manley(D)	A Mitchell, Bill(R)
Y Moylan(D)	A Reboletti(R)
Y Schmitz(R)	Y Smiddy(D)
Y Walsh(D)	A Welch(D)
A Wheeler(R)	Y Willis(D)
Y Yingling(D)	

Representative Jakobsson, Chairperson, from the Committee on Higher Education to which the following were referred, action taken on February 4, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 3749 and 4244.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 3749 is as follows:

13, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson	Y Hernandez(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Hays(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Bost(R)
Y Brady(R)	Y Conroy(D)

Y Demmer(R)
 N Flowers(D)
 Y Pritchard(R)
 Y Tabares(D)

Y Drury(D)
 Y Hammond(R)
 Y Scherer(D)
 Y Franks(D) (replacing Welch)

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 4244 is as follows:
 13, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Jakobsson(D), Chairperson
 Y Hays(R), Republican Spokesperson
 Y Brady(R)
 Y Demmer(R)
 Y Flowers(D)
 Y Pritchard(R)
 Y Tabares(D)

Y Hernandez(D), Vice-Chairperson
 Y Bost(R)
 Y Conroy(D)
 Y Drury(D)
 Y Hammond(R)
 Y Scherer(D)
 A Welch(D)

Representative Chapa LaVia, Chairperson, from the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education to which the following were referred, action taken on February 4, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the resolution be reported “recommends be adopted” and be placed on the House Calendar: SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 45.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Joint Resolution 45 is as follows:
 13, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Ford(D) (replacing Chapa LaVia)
 Y Pihos(R), Republican Spokesperson
 Y Hernandez(D) (replacing Dunkin)
 Y Jakobsson(D) (replacing Golar)
 Y Mayfield(D)
 Y Moffitt(R)
 Y Unes(R)

Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson
 Y Sims(D) (replacing Davis, M.)
 Y Evans(D)
 Y Lilly(D)
 A Mitchell, Bill(R)
 Y Pritchard(R)
 Y Wheeler(R)

Representative Rita, Chairperson, from the Committee on Business & Occupational Licenses to which the following were referred, action taken on February 5, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 1841.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1841 is as follows:
 9, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Rita(D), Chairperson
 Y Sandack(R) (replacing Poe)
 A Chapa LaVia(D)
 Y DeLuca(D)
 Y Martwick(D)
 Y Sims(D)

A Evans(D), Vice-Chairperson
 A Burke, Daniel(D)
 Y Davidsmeyer(R)
 Y Harms(R)
 Y Morrison(R)
 Y Sommer(R)

Representative Gabel, Chairperson, from the Committee on Human Services to which the following were referred, action taken on February 5, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 3638.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 3638 is as follows:

8, Yeas; 5, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Gabel(D), Chairperson	Y Smith(D), Vice-Chairperson
N Osmond(R), Republican Spokesperson	N Cabello(R)
Y Cassidy(D)	N Demmer(R)
Y Fine(D)	Y Flowers(D)
N Hammond(R)	N Hatcher(R)
Y Jakobsson(D)	Y Mussman(D)
A Schmitz(R)	Y Andrade(D) (replacing Soto)

Representative Franks, Chairperson, from the Committee on State Government Administration to which the following were referred, action taken on February 5, 2014, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 4208; SENATE BILL 1812.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 4208; Senate Bill 1812 is as follows:

20, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Franks(D), Chairperson	Y McAsey(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Pritchard(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Andrade(D)
Y Brady(R)	Y Brown(R)
Y Cabello(R)	Y Cloonen(D)
Y Crespo(D)	Y Fine(D) (replacing Davis, M.)
Y Farnham(D)	Y Harris, David(R)
Y McSweeney(R)	Y Mitchell, Christian(D)
Y Mussman(D)	Y Rosenthal(R)
Y Sente(D)	Y Wheeler(R)
Y Willis(D)	Y Yingling(D)

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by

Mr. Anderson, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker -- I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 1227

A bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

House Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1227.

House Amendment No. 6 to SENATE BILL NO. 1227.

Action taken by the Senate, February 5, 2014.

Tim Anderson, Secretary of the Senate

A message from the Senate by

Mr. Anderson, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker -- I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 70

Concurred in the Senate, February 5, 2014.

Tim Anderson, Secretary of the Senate

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 804

Offered by Representative Hatcher:

WHEREAS, Veterans have served valiantly and honorably in defense of the United States and have put their lives on the line in order to defend America's beliefs and freedoms; and

WHEREAS, Veterans' Day is a National holiday held every year on November 11th and honors the people who have served as a part of any branch of the United States Armed Forces in defense of the United States of America, which allows the freedom and liberty we practice every day; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that in order to educate the students of Illinois about the sacrifices made for freedom on behalf of the country and the values on which this country was founded, we encourage each school year during the week in which Veterans' Day occurs, that all students in kindergarten through eighth grade attend an assembly during the school day to honor the history and importance of Veterans' Day; and be it further

RESOLVED, That school districts are encouraged to consult with local veterans' groups on the content of the assembly; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the superintendent of each school district within the State.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 805

Offered by Representative Durkin:

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 98th General Assembly are amended by adding Rule 37.7 as follows:

(House Rule 37.7 new)

37.7. Consideration of Bills On or After Date of General Election.

(a) From the Tuesday following the first Monday of November in even-numbered years until adjournment sine die, no bill may be moved from the order of Second Reading to the order of Third Reading unless a motion to approve such measure for consideration has been adopted by a record vote of 71 members. If such a bill is on the order of concurrence or in the form of a conference committee report, no motion to concur or to adopt that conference committee report is in order unless a motion to approve such measure for consideration has been adopted by a record vote of 71 members. Nothing in this House Rule shall be deemed to alter the vote requirement for final passage of a legislative measure required by the Illinois Constitution.

(b) Any motion made pursuant to subsection (a) to approve a legislative measure for consideration must be in writing. Upon receipt of the written motion, the Clerk shall immediately notify the Speaker and the Minority Leader. The motion shall not be referred to a committee. The motion must be carried on the calendar before it may be taken up by the House and may then be immediately considered and adopted by the House. The motion is renewable and may be reconsidered, provided that once that motion is adopted, it shall not be reconsidered.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of these House Rules, any resolution proposing to amend or delete this Rule requires the affirmative vote of 71 members elected for adoption by the House. This Rule may not be suspended except by unanimous consent.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 807

Offered by Representative Senger:

WHEREAS, The federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act was signed into law by President Barack Obama on March 23, 2010; and

WHEREAS, The Obama administration has hired thousands of marketers and members of community organizations to educate and assist consumers with the Obamacare enrollment process; and

WHEREAS, These new government employees tasked with helping consumers understand the law and the insurance coverage provisions in the new health insurance marketplace are known as "navigators"; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has given out more than \$36 million in federal taxpayer dollars to dozens of community groups in Illinois to hire temporary workers as navigators; and

WHEREAS, There are over 1,200 navigators in Illinois, many with no background in health insurance and limited training; and

WHEREAS, Since open enrollment began in October of 2013, there have been serious questions raised about the qualifications of navigators and the necessity of the program overall; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Department of Insurance to conduct a thorough review of the navigator program and its performance in enrolling previously uninsured Illinois citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Department of Insurance report those findings to the General Assembly at the earliest convenience; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to Illinois Department of Insurance Director Andrew Boron and Governor Pat Quinn.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 813

Offered by Representative Smith:

WHEREAS, In an effort to crack down on fraud, the General Assembly passed into law regulations restricting which citizens with disabilities may park at meters for free; and

WHEREAS, Some citizens with disabilities that no longer qualify for free parking are having difficulty physically using the meters; many with disabilities do not move very quickly and have a harder time making it back to their vehicles in time to move their car or feed the meter; and

WHEREAS, There are very few spots reserved specifically for disabled drivers in many areas of the State, especially in downtown Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Many citizens with disabilities are on fixed incomes and have difficulties being able to pay for parking, especially with the expensive parking rates in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of State's office currently has a program for reduced license plate fees for citizens with disabilities and the Regional Transit Authority currently has a program that allows passengers with disabilities to ride for free; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Secretary of State's office to review the current policies regarding meter parking for those with disabilities, and we encourage them to work with qualified medical professionals, advocates, and citizens with disabilities to consider various options to make meter parking more affordable and accessible for a greater number of citizens with disabilities, including possibly re-instating free parking or reduced parking for the disabled; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Secretary of State Jesse White.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered and placed on the Calendar on the order of Agreed Resolutions.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 801

Offered by Representative Meier:

Congratulates Louis A. Meissner on 50 years of service for the City of Breese, the Breese Fire Department, and the surrounding communities.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 802

Offered by Representative Beiser:
Mourns the death of Barbara Ann Little of Bethalto.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 803

Offered by Representative Currie:
Honors Friends of the Parks president and executive officer Erma Tranter's efforts and results in preserving the State's environment and commends her for her devotion to protecting and nurturing our natural areas.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 806

Offered by Representative Martwick:
Recognizes The Gift Theatre in Chicago for its community involvement in the Jefferson Park neighborhood.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 808

Offered by Representative Sandack:
Congratulates Dr. Tracey Cook on being named VFW Post 3873 Outstanding Citizenship Educator of the Year.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 809

Offered by Representative Cavaletto:
Congratulates the Vandalia Chamber of Commerce on its 100th anniversary.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 810

Offered by Representative Bellock:
Mourns the death of Joyce E. Skoog of Hinsdale.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 811

Offered by Representative Dunkin:
Mourns the death of Pete Crumpton.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 812

Offered by Representative Smith:
Mourns the death of Earlean Lindsey of Chicago.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 801, 802, 803, 806, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 were taken up for consideration.

Representative Currie moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.
The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 791 was taken up for consideration.

Representative David Harris moved that all Members of the House of Representatives be added as sponsors.

Representative David Harris moved the adoption of the agreed resolution.

The motion prevailed and the agreed resolution was adopted.

At the hour of 12:28 o'clock p.m., Representative Currie moved that the House do now adjourn, allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.

The motion prevailed.

And in accordance therewith and pursuant to HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 70, the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 18, 2014, at 12:00 o'clock p.m.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
NINETY-EIGHTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HOUSE ROLL CALL
QUORUM ROLL CALL FOR ATTENDANCE

February 05, 2014

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

110 PRESENT

E Acevedo	P Drury	P Kifowit	P Sandack
P Andrade	E Dunkin	P Kosel	P Scherer
P Anthony	P Durkin	P Lang	P Schmitz
P Arroyo	P Evans	P Leitch	P Senger
P Beiser	P Farnham	P Lilly	P Sente
P Bellock	P Feigenholtz	P Manley	P Sims
P Berrios	P Fine	P Martwick	P Smiddy
P Bost	P Flowers	P Mautino	P Smith
P Bradley	P Ford	P Mayfield	P Sommer
P Brady	P Fortner	P McAsey	P Sosnowski
P Brauer	P Franks	P McAuliffe	P Soto
P Brown	P Gabel	P McSweeney	E Stewart
E Burke, Daniel	E Golar	P Meier	P Sullivan
P Burke, Kelly	P Gordon-Booth	P Mitchell, Bill	P Tabares
P Cabello	P Halbrook	P Mitchell, Christian	P Thapedi
P Cassidy	P Hammond	P Moffitt	P Tracy
P Cavaletto	P Harms	P Morrison	P Tryon
E Chapa LaVia	P Harris, David	P Moylan	P Turner
P Cloonen	P Harris, Greg	P Mussman	P Unes
P Conroy	P Hatcher	P Nekritz	P Verschoore
P Costello	P Hays	P Osmond	P Walsh
P Crespo	P Hernandez	P Phelps	E Welch
P Cross	P Hoffman	P Pihos	P Wheeler
P Currie	P Hurley	E Poe	P Williams
P D'Amico	P Ives	P Pritchard	P Willis
P Davidsmeyer	P Jackson	P Reboletti	P Yingling
P Davis, Monique	P Jakobsson	P Reis	P Zalewski
P Davis, William	P Jefferson	P Riley	P Mr. Speaker
P DeLuca	P Jones	P Rita	
P Demmer	P Kay	P Rosenthal	

E - Denotes Excused Absence

90TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**Perfunctory Session****WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2014**

At the hour of 2:31 o'clock p.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced, read by title a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules:

HOUSE BILL 4639. Introduced by Representative Sosnowski, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4640. Introduced by Representative Sosnowski, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4641. Introduced by Representative Rosenthal, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4642. Introduced by Representative Brown, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4643. Introduced by Representative Brown, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4644. Introduced by Representative Brown, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4645. Introduced by Representative Rosenthal, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4646. Introduced by Representative Evans, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4647. Introduced by Representatives Evans - Demmer, Jones and Ford, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4648. Introduced by Representative Evans, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4649. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4650. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4651. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4652. Introduced by Representative Feigenholtz, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4653. Introduced by Representative Sosnowski, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4654. Introduced by Representative Rosenthal, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4655. Introduced by Representative Davis, William, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4656. Introduced by Representative Riley, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4657. Introduced by Representative Turner, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4658. Introduced by Representative Turner, AN ACT concerning business.

HOUSE BILL 4659. Introduced by Representative Zalewski, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4660. Introduced by Representative Zalewski, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4661. Introduced by Representative Verschoore, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4662. Introduced by Representative Verschoore, AN ACT concerning warehouses.

HOUSE BILL 4663. Introduced by Representative Verschoore, AN ACT concerning animals.

HOUSE BILL 4664. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning employment.

HOUSE BILL 4665. Introduced by Representative Golar, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4666. Introduced by Representative Gordon-Booth, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4667. Introduced by Representative Gordon-Booth, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4668. Introduced by Representative Gordon-Booth, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4669. Introduced by Representative Morrison, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4670. Introduced by Representative Morrison, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4671. Introduced by Representative Sandack, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4672. Introduced by Representative Ford, AN ACT concerning courts.

HOUSE BILL 4673. Introduced by Representative Burke, Kelly, AN ACT concerning employment.

HOUSE BILL 4674. Introduced by Representative Moylan, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4675. Introduced by Representative Moylan, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4676. Introduced by Representative Sandack, AN ACT concerning human rights.

HOUSE BILL 4677. Introduced by Representative Sandack, AN ACT concerning insurance.

HOUSE BILL 4678. Introduced by Representative Sommer, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4679. Introduced by Representative Pritchard, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4680. Introduced by Representative Pritchard, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4681. Introduced by Representative Harris, Greg, AN ACT concerning public aid.

HOUSE BILL 4682. Introduced by Representative Beiser, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4683. Introduced by Representative Beiser, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4684. Introduced by Representatives Tabares - DeLuca, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4685. Introduced by Representative Thapedi, AN ACT concerning human rights.

HOUSE BILL 4686. Introduced by Representative Sullivan, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4687. Introduced by Representative Sullivan, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4688. Introduced by Representative Fortner, AN ACT concerning elections.

HOUSE BILL 4689. Introduced by Representative Fortner, AN ACT concerning government.

HOUSE BILL 4690. Introduced by Representative Phelps, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4691. Introduced by Representative Phelps, AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

HOUSE BILL 4692. Introduced by Representative Zalewski, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4693. Introduced by Representative Brady, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4694. Introduced by Representative Brady, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4695. Introduced by Representative Brady, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4696. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4697. Introduced by Representative Willis, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4698. Introduced by Representative Ford, AN ACT concerning business.

HOUSE BILL 4699. Introduced by Representative Tryon, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4700. Introduced by Representative Burke, Kelly, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4701. Introduced by Representative Phelps, AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

HOUSE BILL 4702. Introduced by Representative Martwick, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4703. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning public aid.

HOUSE BILL 4704. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4705. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4706. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4707. Introduced by Representative Rita, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4708. Introduced by Representative Rita, AN ACT concerning gaming.

HOUSE BILL 4709. Introduced by Representative Rita, AN ACT concerning regulations.

HOUSE BILL 4710. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4711. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4712. Introduced by Representative Harms, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4713. Introduced by Representative Harms, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4714. Introduced by Representative Hernandez, AN ACT concerning employment.

HOUSE BILL 4715. Introduced by Representative Cassidy, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4716. Introduced by Representative Nekritz, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4717. Introduced by Representative Cassidy, AN ACT concerning safety.

HOUSE BILL 4718. Introduced by Representative Kay, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4719. Introduced by Representative Kay, AN ACT concerning government.

HOUSE BILL 4720. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning government.

HOUSE BILL 4721. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4722. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning safety.

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HOUSE BILL 4724. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4725. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4726. Introduced by Representative Davis, William, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4727. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4728. Introduced by Representative Gabel, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4729. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4730. Introduced by Representatives McAuliffe - Hurley, AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

HOUSE BILL 4731. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning government.

HOUSE BILL 4732. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4733. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning employment.

HOUSE BILL 4734. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4735. Introduced by Representative Mautino, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4736. Introduced by Representative Davis, Monique, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4737. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4738. Introduced by Representative Currie, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4739. Introduced by Representative Feigenholtz, AN ACT concerning children.

HOUSE BILL 4740. Introduced by Representative Soto, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4741. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4742. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

HOUSE BILL 4743. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4744. Introduced by Representative Moffitt, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4745. Introduced by Representative Sente, AN ACT concerning liquor.

HOUSE BILL 4746. Introduced by Representative Crespo, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4747. Introduced by Representative Crespo, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4748. Introduced by Representative Turner, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4749. Introduced by Representative Turner, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4750. Introduced by Representative Turner, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4751. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4752. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

HOUSE BILL 4753. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning handgun regulation.

HOUSE BILL 4754. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4755. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning State government.

HOUSE BILL 4756. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4757. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4758. Introduced by Representative Sandack, AN ACT concerning human rights.

HOUSE BILL 4759. Introduced by Representative Sandack, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4760. Introduced by Representative Sims, AN ACT concerning children.

HOUSE BILL 4761. Introduced by Representative Burke, Kelly, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4762. Introduced by Representative Costello, AN ACT concerning agriculture.

HOUSE BILL 4763. Introduced by Representative Brown, AN ACT concerning revenue.

HOUSE BILL 4764. Introduced by Representative Brown, AN ACT concerning employment.

HOUSE BILL 4765. Introduced by Representative Cabello, AN ACT concerning transportation.

HOUSE BILL 4766. Introduced by Representative Cabello, AN ACT concerning local government.

HOUSE BILL 4767. Introduced by Representative Chapa LaVia, AN ACT concerning education.

HOUSE BILL 4768. Introduced by Representative Chapa LaVia, AN ACT concerning education.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
FIRST READING**

Representative Brown introduced the following:

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 44**

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article V of the Illinois Constitution by changing Sections 1, 3, 7, and 18 and by repealing Section 17 as follows:

ARTICLE V
THE EXECUTIVE

SECTION 1. OFFICERS

The Executive Branch shall include a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, and Comptroller of the Treasury ~~Comptroller and Treasurer~~ elected by the electors of the State. They shall keep the public records and maintain a residence at the seat of government during their terms of office. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 3. ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to hold the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, or Comptroller of the Treasury ~~Comptroller or Treasurer~~, a person must be a United States citizen, at least 25 years old, and a resident of this State for the three years preceding his or her election. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 7. VACANCIES IN OTHER ELECTIVE OFFICES

If the Attorney General, Secretary of State, or Comptroller of the Treasury ~~Comptroller or Treasurer~~ fails to qualify or if the ~~his~~ office becomes vacant, the Governor shall fill the office by appointment. The appointee shall hold office until the elected officer qualifies or until a successor is elected and qualified as may be provided by law and shall not be subject to removal by the Governor. If the Lieutenant Governor fails to qualify or if the ~~his~~ office becomes vacant, it shall remain vacant until the end of the term. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 17. COMPTROLLER - DUTIES (REP)

~~The Comptroller, in accordance with law, shall maintain the State's central fiscal accounts, and order payments into and out of the funds held by the Treasurer.~~ (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 18. COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY ~~TREASURER~~ - DUTIES

The Comptroller of the Treasury ~~Treasurer~~, in accordance with law, shall (i) maintain the State's central fiscal accounts, and order payments into and out of the funds held by him or her, (ii) be responsible for the safekeeping and investment of monies and securities deposited with him or her, and for their disbursement upon his or her order, and (iii) have the duties and powers that may be prescribed by law of the Comptroller. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

A Comptroller of the Treasury, but not a Comptroller or Treasurer, shall be elected in 2018 and thereafter. This Constitutional Amendment otherwise takes effect upon the conclusion of the terms of the Comptroller and the Treasurer elected in 2014.

The foregoing HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 44 was taken up, read in full a first time, ordered reproduced and placed in the Committee on Rules.

At the hour of 2:46 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.